

coddn 't eS.Jiave mW ee3. 0TAe handed out gift3 to all the c/iuldden. fline was a lae, /ieavápac/ae.2 tote off t/iepapet, 2 could

Me that it was a °vVpndotfe 3omef/th18. 2t tutned out to be a batte'cj-opetafed metal 3/iootiizgalle'cJ. 0DucAs would move acto33 the ftonf. 2t came with a8wz that 3/tot jacket datt3. 2 immediate/i ttied it out and managed to hit a few duc4.i which fell ovet when Alt. 2 latet became quite ptoficient at Altting flies, on the /dte/ien wall, too, with the 3uc,et datt3, much to ,ng mot/ict s con3tetnafion. d4tistmas had tunedl"tomsadn"i to/o withdu3t a /cnoc/c on the doot.

OtYjf ot/zet peat c/iuld/zood memo'c# was when mg 00 ad gave me a c/iemi3ttg set w/zic/z he had made A# /iand. 2f was a metal cabinet about 2'x2'x8" and made of tin. J/iete wete shelves and tAe watt 3foci4ed with chemicals t/iat J)ad had tcceivedfcom a chemist fticnd at wotk. Qndizzed wa3 a boolciet on how to petftnt diffetenf chemical teactlon3. fi ftien in back of w/zete we lived had a model tailtoad on which we both wotked. 0T/t13 was duting cWtW22 30 Qgot the idea of placing little piles ofpota33ium petmalWenate in the CRC.RJowIi. We then flew out plan" ovet the town and with an 4We dtop,oet full of gctin, c/topped the gctin on the petmangeitate pLie-6 wAle/i te.qulted in a flate and a w/i003/z, almost like a teal bomb. We tutned the Ij/it3 down. Qt looked vet 3uttcal. vfcout3e, we nevet con.ideted the 3afet /iazatd offitc. (fotfunat4 the piles butned out fa3f.

cT/ic of/iet dumb f/zig 2 tccall doing 13 making a f/ietmitefuion bomb. 2 At it in the bac4catd. 2t fizzed and flated wzdptoduced a gteaf deal of 3moke. dYjf mot/zet came out mad as Aeck. q Aadrilipaid attention to /iet wa./i which was /iaizging on the clot/ies line. e/ie claimed that 2 had tuined /iet wash.

cfet/iap3 the bc3t mamotje of all 13 when all the fam4 and telaflves wouldget fogef/ietfot the /iolida3 to cele6tate but no bettet than at